

<u>INFORMATION SHEET – MONDAY 13th MARCH 2023</u>

JPRT Event

The JPRT are organising a talent show for S1-S3 pupils. We're hoping to hold this event before the end of term.

We will soon be looking for the new Perth Academy Star!

Watch out for future notices to let us know if you are taking part. Hope to see you perform –

Miss Macleod

S5/6 Careers

Are you thinking about going to university but aren't 100% sure what you want to do? Take a look at the recent post in your year group assembly teams about an opportunity to do a paid 10 - 12 month work experience placement after leaving school which may help you decide whether university or another route is right for you. Apply direct using the list on the post.

S5/6 Careers Event

S5s and S6s – please see the information on your year group assembly teams about a careers event coming up in June. This is designed to give you information on a wide range of careers. Use the link on the post to apply.

Mrs. MacGregor

Prom 2023

The Prom committee would like to invite all staff at Perth Academy to the Class of 2023 Prom! Payment of £35 should be paid by <u>Friday 17th March</u> via ParentPay. This year's prom takes place on Thursday 22nd June at Huntingtower Hotel and he price includes a 3-course meal. Pupils attending should make full payment prior by <u>Friday 31st March</u>. It will be a night to remember and we look forward to seeing as many as possible on the night!

Prom Committee

CAREERS INFORMATION

Pupils 14+

If you wish to participate in a three-day sash and case windows conservation course, they need to let Mr Letford (room 19A) know this week.

The course takes place at the Lower City Mills and is free. It will cover technical aspects of sash and case restoration and repair, giving these windows years more serviceable life. The course covers:

- Conservation ethos and approach
- Insight into materials and analysis
- Practical work on restoring a sash and frame
- Milling timber parts
- Glazing and putty techniques (including double glazing)
- Draft proofing techniques
- Application of sand mastic

- · Re-roping and re-hanging weights
- · Painting and preservation

Apprenticeship Job Fair, 28th March

The deadline is this week for S4-S6 pupils to put their names down for this. It is aimed at those pupils who intend to leave school this summer and who wish to hear about apprenticeships in the locality.

It will be held at the Salutation Hotel after lunchtime on the 28th. There will be lots of businesses in attendance and you can network and hear about their current apprenticeships. Perth College and Dundee & Angus College will be there, too. Give your names to your Guidance Teacher or to Mr Letford in room 19A asap if you wish to attend this event.

Sidey Visit

Last week's cancelled visit to Sidey's premises will be rescheduled shortly. Those pupils who put their names down for this should speak with Mr Letford in room 19A asap.

Senior Pupils

SSE is needing an apprentice Business Administrator. The details are here:

https://careers.sse.com/jobs/apprenticeship-general-business-energy-portfolio-management-sep-2023-intake-perth-perthshire-scotland-united-kingdom

In addition, two more apprenticeships will come up shortly at SSE: a Data apprentice and a Project Manager apprentice. Let Mr Letford (DYW) or Mr Reid (SDS) know if you may be interested in these.

Mr. Letford

Choir

Choir is on Mondays, lunch time, in M2.

Miss Evans

Pi Day 14th March

The maths department are holding a Pi day competition on Tuesday 14th March. We want to see who can memorise Pi to the most number of decimal places. If you think you can do it, log onto Google and find Pi to as many digits as you can, memorise it, then come along to room 24 (Mr Wood's room) on Tuesday lunchtime and have a go. There will be a prize for the winner.

Mr Wood

University of Dundee





Welcome to Reach: Law Taster Day

Wednesday 29 March 2023 10.00 - 15.00, University of Dundee

You must be registered with the Reach Tayside Project to attend., Please check your eligibility and register via our website: www.dundee.ac.uk/reach